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Collection No.

Mysore Residency

Bangalore.

**Pros. Serial Nos.** 1-13

**Subject.**

Claim of Rs.150/- by M & S.M.Railway Company on account of certain articles found missing in the police sergeant's quarters at the City Railway Station after sergeant Jackson vacated them. – Write off. of the amount as irrecoverable

**Previous References.**

**Later References.**

F. No 290 of 1934

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S.N.1.

Letter No.355/A/33, dated the 2nd June 1933, from the Commissioner of Police, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore.

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The facts of this case are as follows:-

Sergeant Jackson was transferred from Bangalore City Railway Station to Cantonment presumably under the orders of the Commissioner of Police. He vacated the quarters occupied by him at the Bangalore City Railway Station on 20-2-1932, but made no written report to the Railway Authorities as required by Railway Regulations. But he had orally informed ~~of the above fact to~~ the P.W. Inspector.

On 22nd March 1932, he made a report in writing to the Inspector, Bangalore City stating that the quarters would not be occupied for some time and requesting him to look after the buildings. When the P.W.Inspector went to take over charge of the quarters on the 23rd March 1932, he found certain articles valued at Rs.151-6-0 were missing. The Railway Authorities now claim this amount from the Police Department.

From copies of correspondence sent by the Commissioner of Police, it appears that the Police Department should pay the Railway Company the cost of the articles missing in the sergeant's quarters, as they have not handed over the buildings to the Railway Company. It appears that this cost, viz. Rs. 151-6-0 should therefore be recovered from the pension of sergeant Jackson.

The rent for the quarters occupied by the sergeant was adjusted by the A. G. Madras, on the countersignature of Railway Bills, by the Commissioner of Police. Apparently, the Commissioner of Police must have countersigned the Railway bills relating to the rent for sergeant's quarters for the period from 20th February 1932 to 23rd March 1932. The rent for this period could not be char/

charged to Government . It should be recovered from sergeant Jackson as he failed to hand over the buildings to Railway Authorities.

Before taking further action in the matter, the Commissioner of Police may be asked to furnish the following information :-

What is the rent per mensem for the Sergeant's quarters at the Bangalore City Railway Station..

2.Whether the rent for the sergeant's quarters for the period from 20-2-32 to 23rd March 1932, was adjusted by Government. If so, what was the amount paid by Government.

3.As the transfer of sergeant Jackson was made under the orders of the Commissioner of Police, and the rent of his quarters was adjusted by him, why no report was made to the Railway Authorities, by his office regarding the quarters vacated by sergeant Jackson.

4.Who should pay the rent for the period from the 20th February 1932, to 23rd March 1932 for the sergeant's quarters inquestion, as it cannot be charged to Government

Draft submitted for approval.

T. N. Thangavelu
Mudaliar
19-6-1933.

Secretary.

S.N.2

Issued No, 4553 dated the 21st June, 1933.

S.N. 3.

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Letter No. 355/A/33, dated the 3rd July 1933, fro the Commissioner of Police, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore.

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Please see S.N. 1 and 2 and the office notes in paras 1 to 5.

The rent for the Sergeant's quarters is stated to b Rs. 84-6-1 per mensem. Therefore the rent for the period from the 20th February to 22nd March 1932 should be Rx. Rs. 92-8-9 and not Rs. 84-6-1 as stated by the Commissione of Police. If approved the file may be sent U.O. to the Financial Adviser with the request that the Hon'ble the Resident may kindly be favoured with his views in the matter.

T. N. Thangavelu Mudaliar.
7-7-1933

Secretary.

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To

The Financial Adviser to the Hon'ble the Resident.,
U.O.

U.O. No. 5098
Dated 12/7/33.

I think that the claim of the Railway Department against this Administration should be admitted as it was clearly the duty of the Police Department to have officially intimated the vacation of the quarters to the Railway authorities.

It is open to the Hon'ble the Resident to write off the amount, under Article 227(b) Civil Account Code, - Volume I, and Government of India, Finance Department, - letter No.1639-A dated 30th November 1923, if he considers that it is irrecoverable from Sergeant Jackson who seems

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to have been primarily responsible for the loss (Rs.151-6- plus rent of Rs.92-8-9).

2. In this connection I beg to point out that the provision of quarters on a monthly rent of Rs.85/- for an officer on a pay of Rs.150/- appears to contravene the rule in Fundamental Rule 45 A IV (a) that the scale of accommodation supplied should not exceed the status of the occupant. The Capital Cost of quarters with a monthly rent of Rs.85/- would be about Rs.17,000/-.

The average monthly rental of the Sergeant's quarters in the Civil and Military Station is only about Rs.33/-.

This may perhaps be considered and if possible arrangements may be made with the Railway for leasing quarters on a lower monthly rent.

15/7/33

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, B'lore.
U.O.No.17 dated 15th July 1933.

OFFICE OF THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.
17 JULY 1933
Regd. No. 6134
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Paras 7 and 8 ante.

The total sums recoverable from Sergeant Jackson amount to Rs. 242-8-9. As he is in receipt of an invalid pension of Rs. 28/- per mensem it would take more than 2½ years to recover this amount at the rate of Rs. 8/- per mensem. If approved this may be written off as irrecoverable after consulting the Accountant-General, Madras.

The Commissioner of Police may also be informed that provision of quarters on a monthly rent of Rs. 85/- for an officer on a pay of Rs. 150/- appears to contravene the rule in F.R. 45-B-IV(a) that the scale of accommodation supplied should not exceed the status of the occupant. He may be asked to make arrangement with the Railway Company for leasing quarters on a lower monthly rent.

rent.

Two drafts submitted for approval.

T. N. Thangavelu
Madurai
20-7-1933.

Secretary.

I must see the Railway Regulation referred to in para 1 of this. It has an important bearing on the case.

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Draft letter to the Agent, M. and S.M. Ry. Coy., Ltd., is submitted for approval.

T. N. Thangavelu
Madurai.
1-8-1933

Secretary.

S.N.4

Issued No,5765 dated the 9th August,33.

S.N.5
P.W.C.

Letter No.W.1665-E-I, dated the 15th/16th September 1933, from the Agent, The Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Co. Ltd., Madras.

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Please see S.N.4 and notes in paragraph 11 ante.

The Rule quoted by the Railway Company is on page 267 of the Manual of Instructions for the Engineering Department.

In the case under consideration it appears that the Commissioner of Police as head of the Department to whom the quarters were handed over by the Railway authorities should have advised the District Engineer about the vacation. The latter in turn would have issued necessary instructions to the Permanent Way Inspector to take over charge of the quarters after inspection.

In the case of a private property, the law requires a valid notice for the termination of the tenancy. It will be seen from paragraph 2 of Section 106 of the Transfer of Property Act that this notice should be in writing, signed by or on behalf of the person giving it.

For orders whether the drafts already put up may issue.

T.N. Thangavelu
Mudaliar
14-10-1933

Secretary.

S.Ms. 647

Issued No. 10123 & 10124, dt. 25-10-33.

Letter No.T.3.Bang.3-547, dated the 2nd November 1933, from the Accountant-General, Madras.

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Please see S.N.1 to 6 and the P.u.c, and paras 7 & 8 of the foregoing notes.

The facts of the case are that Sergeant Jackson of the C & M Station Police Force having vacated his quarters on 20-2-1932 in the City Ry. Station, without giving due notice to the Ry. authorities, the latter have now claimed a debit of Rs.243-14-9 against this Administration on account of the following:-

(1) Rs.92-8-9 being the rent of the quarters from 20th February to 22nd March 1933.

(2) Rs.151-6-0 being the cost of articles found missing in the quarters.

The Accountant-General says that there is no objection to the Railway authorities being allowed to raise the debit against the Police Department and the amount being written off as irrecoverable under Article 227(b) of the Civil Account Code Volume I.

A draft which explains itself is submitted for approval

(from para 15)

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The full amount will have to be written off. Government should be moved suitably to issue orders - to be submitted for Resident's approval.

pursue against the recalcitrant of any incident of this nature.

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Issued Proceedings No.41, dated 1st January 1934.

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A draft to the Commr. of Police, with reference to para 17 of notes above, is submitted for approval.

S.N. 10

Issued No. 550, dated the 17th Jany. 1934.

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Letter No. 277/A34, dated the 23rd Janvy. 1934, from the Commr. of Police.

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Please see S.N. 10. Action is being taken separately to incorporate the amendment proposed in the C.& M. Stn. Police Orders.

(from para 19 only)

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION, BANGALORE.

No. 355/A/33 enc one. Dated 2/6/ 1933.

FROM E. H. Sullivan, Esquire,
COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION,
BANGALORE.

To

OFFICE OF THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.
BANGALORE.
3 JUNE 33
Regd. No. 4912
Pol. No. 232 | 33.

The SECRETARY to the HON'BLE
the RESIDENT in MYSORE, BANGALORE.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward herewith copies of relevant correspondence between the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Company and myself regarding the claim of Rs.150/- on account of certain articles found missing in the Police Sergeant's quarters at the City Railway Station after Sergeant Jackson vacated them.

From the foregoing correspondence it will be seen that the Permanent Way Inspector is to blame for negligence in not taking charge of the building as soon as he was intimated by the Sergeant that he was vacating it and yet the Agent throws the whole blame on the Police Sergeant and claims the cost of the missing articles from the Police Department.

As Sergeant Jackson has since retired from service and returned to England, there is no possibility of recovering the amount from him. I request that the Agent, Madras & Southern Mahratta Railway Company, Limited, Madras, may be addressed to waive the claim.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE.

1/A

Copy of letter No. G.5 dated 31st August 1932 from the District Engineer, Bangalore City, to the Commissioner of Police, C & M Station, Bangalore.

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Subject:- Theft of fittings in Police Sergeant's quarters at Bangalore City - S.B.C./28.

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" I have the honour to inform you that the above quarters in the occupation of the Police Sergeant was vacated by him on 20-2-1932, but no intimation of the same was received by the P.W. Inspector, Bangalore City, until 23rd March 1932 vide Sergeant's letter No. Nil dated 22-3-1932, copy enclosed.

When the P.W.Inspector went to take over charge of the quarters on the same day, he found the following articles missing and he atonce reported to the Police and brought the Sub-Inspector to the spot to investigate.-

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1) Two door half shutters, half glazed and half panelled. | | Rs. 32-13-0 |
| 2) One door shutter battened. | | " 22- 9-0 |
| 3) 48 roof planks. | | " 91- 0-0 |
| 4) 38 glass panes. | | " 5- 0-0 |
| | Total | Rs. 151- 6-0 |

In the circumstances stated above, the cost of damages viz., Rs.151-6-0 should be borne by the Police."

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X Letter dated 22nd March 1932 from Late Police Sergeant E.G. Jackson, SBC., to the P.W.Inspector, Bangalore City.

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Police Sergeant's Quarters.

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With reference to my personal conversation regarding the vacating of my quarters on 20-2-32 I find that the quarters are still left open and damage done. The quarters may not be

occupied for some time, so I request that you may lock the quarters at once to prevent further damage.

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Letter No.1251/G dated 12th September 1932 from the Commissioner of Police, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, to the District Engineer, M & S M Railway, Bangalore City.

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With reference to your letter No.G-5 dated 31st August 1932,I have the honour to state that the Sergeant informed the Permanent Way Inspector he was vacating the quarters on the day he vacated them. His letter dated 23-3-32, a copy of which you enclose,makes this apparent. The P.W. Inspector also told the Inspector that the Sergeant had intimated the fact to him and he made a similar statement in the Police investigation. I do not therefore see how the Police can be held responsible for the damage as it occured in consequence tothe PW.Inspector's failure to lock the quarters.".

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V/B

The Madras and Southern Maharatta Railway Company, Limited;.

District Engineer's Office, Bangalore City.

No.G-5. Dated 2/3rd November 1932.

Copy of the following letter is forwarded to the Commissioner of Police,C & M Station, Bangalore, for information with reference to his letter No.1251/G/32 of 12-9-1932. As the occupant failed to hand over the quarters to the P.W. Inspetor, he should bear the cost of damages.

Sd/- .....

DISTRICT ENGINEER.

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Letter No.4 dated 1st November 1932 from the P.W.Inspector, Bangalore City, to the District Engineer, Bangalore City.

Re: Police Sergeant's Quarters at Bangalore City.

Your No. G/5/277 of 14th September 1932.

In reply to your above, I beg to inform you that as stated by Police Sergeant Jackson that he verbally told me on 20-2-1932, that he was going to vacate his quarters is true, but it is also true that I told him that I must get intimation in writing of the date and time that he will hand over the building to me (vide Rule 239, para D of the Manual of Instructions for the Engineering Department as an authority for writing to the Municipality and to the Head of my Department (in fact this should have been I think communicated to you by the Police Department) this he promised to do. But a few days later he told me that Sergeant Edwards was not relieving him but Sergeant Brown and that as he Sergeant Brown was on lea-ve, he would not be leaving so soon. So here the matter dropped till he wrote to me on the 23rd March 1932 (a month later) I then at once went and inspected the Building and finding the deficiency sent a complaint to the Police. The Sub-Inspector of Police and myself

again jointly inspected the deficiency. I also made mention to the Sub-Inspector of having told Sergeant Jackson that he should write to me officially. From Sergeant Jackson's letter it will be seen that he says he spoke to me on 20th February 1932, why then did he write to me on the 23rd March 1932 ( a month and two days after).

Further, he or some one on behalf of the Police Department should have handed over the building personally and a handing over and taking over statement signed by both as is done by other Departments. If then I did not take it over he should have secured the building and reported to me for not doing so.

This accounts for me only informing the Municipality of the Building being vacant from 23-3-1932, the date of receipt of Sergeant Jackson's letter. I, therefore, do not see how I am to blame for the damage.

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Letter No.1523/G/32 dated 14-11-32 from the Commissioner of Police,C & M Station, Bangalore.

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Reference:- Your No.C.5 dated 2/3rd November 1932.

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Sergeant Jackson informed the P.W.I. that he was vacating the quarters on the day he vacated them viz., on 20-2-32. It is therefore difficult to understand how he could have said he was staying a few days longer. There is no Sergeant Edwards in the Force. If the Sergeant said to the P.W.I. " I am vacating my quarters to-day" as he must obviously have done, it seems to me that it was the P.W.I's duty to lock them up the same day after checking the building.

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Letter No.C./5/ dated 15th November 1932 fromthe District Engineer, Bangalore City, to the Commissioner of Police, C & M Station, Bangalore, with reference to his No.1523/G/32 dated

14-11-32

14-11-32 Re: Police Sergeant's Quarters at Bangalore.

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I have the honour to inform you that as no written notice was given till 23-3-1932, that date must be considered as the date the Police Sergeant advised the P.W.Inspector.

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Letter No.1523/G/32 dated 24-11-1932 from the Commissioner of Police, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, to the District Engineer, Bangalore City.

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In reply to your letter No. G/5 dated 15-11-32 I have the honour to inform you that the Sergeant is an undischarged bankrupt and hence I am not permitted to recover money fromhis pay.

2. I do not agree that the Sergeant is liable. He is not expected to be conversant with Railway Regulations and the P.W. Inspector should have informed him that a writtem requisition was necessary. It would be an extremely difficult matter to pursuade the Official Assignee that the claim is valid. I therefore suggest the amount should be written off.

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Letter No.W/1665-E.I. dated 27th February 1933 from the Agent, M. and S.M. Railway Company Limited, Park Town, Madras, to the Commissioner of Police, C & M Station, Bangalore.

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Theft of fittings in Police Sergeant's quarters No.SBC/28 at Bangalore City.

I have the honour to inform you that the above quarters were vacated by the Police Sergeant on the 20th February 1932, but no intimation to that effect was received by the Permanent-Way Inspector until the 23rd March 1932.

On an examination of the quarters by the Permanent Way Inspector on the 23rd March 1932, the following articles costing nearly Rs.150/- were found missing:-

1. Two door ½ shutters, ½ glazed and ½ panelled.
2. One door shutter battened.
3. 48 roof planks.
4. Several glass panes.

The matter was at once reported to the Police who had stated the case as undetectable.

I understand that you have advised the Chief Engineer of this Railway that you do not consider the Police Sergeant to be liable for failure to advise the Permanent-Way Inspector. I would point out, in this connection, that so far as this Administration is concerned, the quarters are handed over to the Police Department and not to an individual member of the Department. The responsibility therefore rests with the Police Department until the building is handed back to the Railway Administration for custody and any question of the responsibility of an individual member of the Police Department is a matter of the internal administration of the Department itself and does not affect the Railway Administration.

I shall, therefore, be glad if you will kindly communicate your approval to a ~~debit~~ debit of Rs.150/- being raised against the Police Department on account of the missing articles.

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Letter No.355/A/33 dated 2-3-33 from the Commissioner of Police, C & M Station, Bangalore, to the Agent, M & S. M. Ry., Ccy., Ltd., Madras.

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Withreference to your letter No.W/1665-E.I. dated 27-2-33 I have the honour to inform you that your Permanent Way Inspector has admitted that he was told by Sergeant Jackson that he was vacating the quarters on the very day he vacated them. He thus was perfectly well aware that the quarters were vacant but took no action because he was informed verbally but not in writing. It seems to me that the Permanent Way Inspector should have taken over the quarters there and then. In his explanation to the District Engineer, the Permanent Way Inspector says Sergeant Jackson

Jackson told him a few days after 20-2-32 that as Sergeant Brown was on leave he(Jackson) would not be leaving so soon. This is clearly untrue as Jackson vacated the quarters on 20-2-32 and could not possibly have told him anything of the sort. I admit I am quite unable to understand why the Permanent Way Inspector is held to be blameless and the Sergeant is considered liable merely because he did not comply with rule 239 para D of the Manual of Instructions for the Engineering Department, a book he has never seen nor heard of. The Permanent Way Inspector had the knowledge of the necessary procedure but did nothing. Even if there was negligence on Sergeant Jackson's part there was even greater negligence on the part of the Permanent Way Inspector.

Under the circumstances I cannot agree that the whole cost should be borne by Government but I am willing to consider any other suggestion you may make.

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Letter No. W/1665-E.I. dated 20th May 1933 from the Agent, M & S M Railway Company, Limited, Madras, to the Commissioner of Police, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore.

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Theft of fittings in Police Sergeant's quarters No.SBC/28 at Bangalore City.

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With reference to your No.355/A/33 of the 2nd March 1933, I have the honour to inform you that Sergeant Jackson did not report to the Permanent Way Inspector officially in writing of his intention to vacate the quarters on the 20th February 1932, but did so only on the 22nd March 1932, vide Permanent Way Inspector's letter No.36 of 20th April 1933, to the District Engineer, Bangalore City, copy enclosed. In the absence of any written report fromthe Police Department, to whom the quarters were handed over prior to the date of vacation, it is but equitable that the cost of the missing articles, viz., Rs.150/- should be borne by that Department.

I shall, therefore, be glad if you will kindly communicate your

your approval to the debit of Rs.150/- being raised against the Police Department in respect of the missing articles.

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Copy of letter No.36 of 20-4-1933 from the Permanent Way Inspector,Bangalore City to the District Engineer, Bangalore City.

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Sergeant's quarters (Police).

Your No. S.5/1066 of 23-3-33.

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In reply to your above, I beg to inform you that I have not denied that Sergeant Jackson told me he would be vacating his quarters, as he was transferred to the Cantonment, but did not ask me to come and take charge.

2. When he told me this on the Station platform, I told him to write officially giving the date, so that I could act on his letter in informing the Municipalities etc.

3. I have nothing further to add to what I have said in my letter No.4 of 1-11-1932. If I did not go with him and take over the --- quarters on 22-3-32 as stated by Sergeant Jackson, he should have reported the matter to you, the same day, your office not being more than a few hundred yards from the Police Station.

4. I can honestly say he never asked me to take over the quarters on 20-2-32. He did tell me that Sergeant Edwards was not relieving him,but Sergeant Brown. In the end Sergeant Brown did occupy the building on 1-9-32. If he did not tell me all this how would I have known these changes?

5. I am almost sure Sergeant Jackson's family were occupying the quarters for some time after 20-2-1932. It is not yet understood by me how Sergeant Jackson, if he vacated his quarters on 20-2-32, came again to inspect them a month after on 22-3-32 and wrote to me.

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TRUE COPY.

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
C & M Station, Bangalore.

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No.4553 Dated 21st June 1933.

MEMORANDUM

To

The Commissioner of Police,
C and M Station,
Bangalore.

Subject:- Police sergeant's quarters at Bangalore City Railway Station.

P.U.C.
S.N.I.

Reference his letter No.355/A/33, dated the 2nd June 1933.

The following information may kindly be furnished to this Residency at a very early date:-

(a) What is the rent per mensem for the sergeant's quarters at Bangalore City Railway Station.

(b) Whether the rent per mensem for the sergeant's quarters for the period from 20th February 1932, to 23rd March 1932, was adjusted by Government, and if so, what was the amount paid by Government .

(c) The transfer of sergeant Jackson was presumably made under the orders of the Commissioner of Police, and the rent for his quarters was adjusted by him. The Commissioner of Police is requested to state why no report was made to the Railway authorities ~~by him,~~ regarding the quarters vacated by sergeant Jackson.

(d) The rent for the period from 20th February 1932, to 23rd March 1932, cannot be charged

to

to Government, as no one occupied the quarters during that period. The Commissioner of Police is requested to state the person from whom the rent for the above period should be recovered.

Secretary to the Resident.

T. N. Thangavelu
Mudaliar.
19-6-1933.

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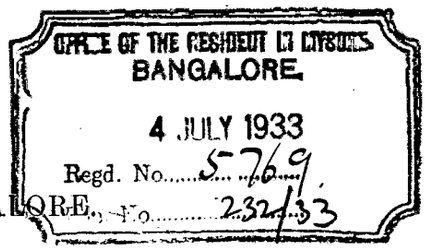
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION, BANGALORE.

No. 355/A/33. *Dated* 3.7. *1933.*




FROM

E. H. Sullivan, Esquire,
COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION,
BANGALORE.

To

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The Secretary to the Hon'ble the
Resident in Mysore, BANGALORE.

SIR,

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Reference:- Your Memorandum No.4553/232-1933 dated the 21st June 1933.

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The following information is furnished as desired:-

(a) The rent is Rs.84-6-1 per mensem.

(b) The rent for the period from 20th February to 23rd March 1932was adjusted by the Accountant-General, Madras, by book adjustment. The amount is one month's rent namely Rs.84-6-1.

(c) Yes. The Sergeant informed the Permanent Way Inspector on the day he vacated them. As he had reported doing so, I did not send any further report to the Railway.

(d) Though the quarters were not occupied by any one the Government have to pay the rent as the quarters were not finally handed over to the Railway Company but intimation was given to the Permanent Way Inspector to look after the building hile it was vacant.

E. Sullivan

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE.

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DEPARTMENT.

BRANCH.

File No. 232

Serial No. 1933

**Draft** Letter / Memorandum / Telegram

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No. 5765 Dated 9/8/1933 19 .

To

The Agent,

Madras and Southern Mahratta Ry. Coy Ltd.,

Madras.

| To be issued on | Issued on |
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(Code word for telegrams.)

Subject:- Police Sergeant's quarters at Bangalore City Railway Station.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the ------ correspondence ending with your letter No. W/1665-E.1., dated the 20th May 1933, to the address of the Commissioner of Police, Civil and Military Station, ----- Bangalore, and to request that you will be so good as to forward for reference a copy of the Manual of Instructions for the Engineering Department referred to by the Permanent Way Inspector in his letter No. 4, dated the 1st November 1932. The book will be returned to you in due course

I have etc.,

Secretary to the Resident.

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PARK TOWN,
MADRAS.

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE—

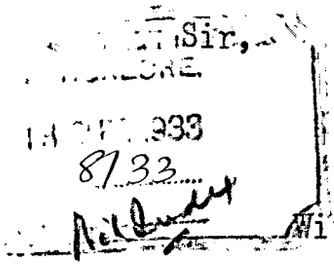
No. W.1665-E-I. Dated 15th September, 1933.

TB

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore,

Bangalore.

Sir,



Police Sergeant's quarters at Bangalore City. Railway Station.

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With reference to your letter No.5765 232/1933, of 9th August, 1933, I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of the Manual of Instructions for the Engineering Department. The correct number of the Rule in this Edition is Rule 239 (5) (c) at page 267.

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2. It may be noted that this rule applies directly only to Locomotive or Traffic Subordinates of the Railway. At the same time, it is only reasonable that other non-Railway Departments should observe the same measures, in vacating Railway quarters, as they would when giving up a bungalow leased from a private individual, which are:

(a) to notify the owner in writing of the intention to vacate;

(b) to hand over the bungalow to the owner, on vacating.

3. It is for these reasons that this Administration has pressed for payment of the cost of the deficiencies by the Police Department.

4. The return of the Manual, at as early a date as possible, is requested.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Agent.

D.A.1 Copy of Manual of Instructions (to be returned)
TSS.

Send by parcel book post

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All Communications should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

No. 10123 Encl. 3.
232/1933.

FROM

Major G. Kirkbride, I.A.,

SECRETARY TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Accountant General,

M a d r a s.

*Dated, Bangalore, the* 25th October *1933*.

**Subject.**

Police Sergeant's quarters at Bangalore City Railway Station.

SIR,

I am directed to forward copies of letters noted on the margin regarding the claim of Rs.150/- by the Agent, Madras & Southern Mahratta Railway Coy., Ltd., on account of certain articles found missing in the Police Sergeant's quarters at the Bangalore City Railway Station after Sergeant Jackson vacated them and to enquire whether you see any audit objection to the Agent, Madras & Southern Mahratta Railway Coy., Ltd., being allowed to raise the necessary debit against the Police Department.

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| S.N.1 | Letter No.355/A/33, dated the 2nd June 1933, from the Commissioner of Police, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, with enclosures. |
| S.N.2 | Letter No.4553, dated the 21st June 1933, to the Commissioner of Police, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore. |
| S.N.3 | Letter No.355/A/33, dated the 3rd July 1933, from the Commissioner of Police, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore. |

2. As the claim of Rs.150/- together with the sum of Rs.92-8-9 being the rent for the quarters for the period from the 20th February to 22nd March 1932 i.e. total Rs.242-8-9 cannot be recovered from Sergeant Jackson who was primarily responsible for the loss, out of his pension of Rs.28/- per mensem, I am to enquire whether you see any objection to the amount being written off as irrecoverable under Article 227(b) of the Civil

Account

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**DEPARTMENT.**

**BRANCH.**

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To

The Commissioner of Police,
Civil and Military Station,
Bangalore.

Subject:- Police Sergeant's quarters at Bangalore City Railway Station.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your ----- letter No. 355/A/33, dated the 3rd July 1933, and to point out that the provision of quarters on a monthly rent of Rs. 84-6-1 or Rs. 85/- in round figures for an officer on a pay of Rs. 150/- appears to contravene the rule in Fundamental Rule 45-B IV (a) that the scale of accommodation supplied should not exceed the status of the occupant. The Capital cost of the quarters with a monthly rent of Rs. 85/- would be about Rs. 17,000/-. The average monthly rental of the Sergeant's quarters in

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in the Civil and Military Station, ------
Bangalore, is only about Rs. 33/-.per mense

2. In the circumstances I am to -----
request that arrangements may kindly be ---
made with the Madras and Southern Mahratta
Railway Coy., Ltd., for leasing quarters on
a lower monthly rent.

I have etc.,

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Secretary to the Resident.

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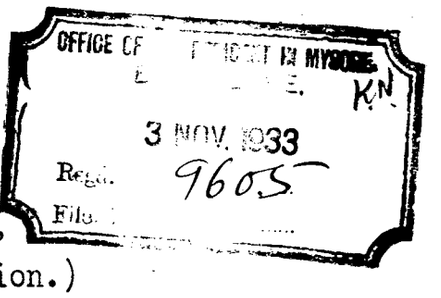
No.T.3. Bang. 3-547.

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL MADRAS.

*Fort St. George,* 2nd November *193* 3.

Enclosures.




FROM

THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,

MADRAS,

(T.3.Section.)

To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident
in Mysore, Bangalore.

SIR,

Sub:- Police Sergeant's quarters at Bangalore City Railway Station.

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With reference to your letter No. 10123/232-1933 dated 25-10-1933 on the above subject, I have the honour to state that there is no audit objection to the Agent, Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Company Limited, being allowed to raise the necessary debit against the Police Department.

2. As regards paragraph 2 of your letter, it is pointed out that there is no objection to the amount of Rs. 242-8-9 being written off as irrecoverable under article 227 (b) of the Civil Account Code, Volume I.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

T.A.M.

Assistant Accounts Officer.

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DEPARTMENT.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

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Read:-

1. Letter No.355/A/33, dated the 2nd June 1933, from the Commr. of Police, C & M Station, Bangalore, to the Secy. to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

2. Letter No.10123/232-1933, dated the 25th October 1933, from the Secy. to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, to the Accountant-General, Madras.

3. Letter No.T-3-Bang.3-547, dated the 2nd November 1933, from the Accountant-General, Madras.

O R D E R.

Sergeant Jackson of the Civil and Military Station Police, who was attached to the Bangalore City Railway Station, vacated his quarters on the 20th February 1932, but gave written notice of his having done so on the 22nd March 1932, to the M & S. M. Ry.Co., Limited from whom the quarters were rented by the Police Department for the occupation of the Sergeant.

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2. When the Permanent Way Inspector Bangalore City, went to take charge of the building, on the 23rd March 1932 he found that articles valued at Rs.151-6-0 were missing. The M & S.M.Ry.Co., Limited, claim

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this amount and also a sum of Rs.92-8-9, being the rent of the quarters from the 20th February 1932 to 22nd March 1932, or Rs.243-14-9 in all, from the C & M Station Police Department. The claim will be admitted and the M.& S.M.Ry.Co., Ltd., allowed to raise the necessary debit against the Police Department.

3. As the amount cannot be recovered from Sergeant Jackson out of his pension of Rs.28/-, the Hon'ble the Resident is pleased to write off the sum of Rs.243-14-9 as irrecoverable under Article 227(b) of the Civil Account Code, Volume I.

SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT

To

The Commr. of Police, C. & M Station, Bangalore.

The Agent, M.& S.M.Ry.Co., Ltd., with the copy of the Manual of Instructions for the Engineering Department sent with his letter No.W-1665-E-I, dated the 15th September 1933, returned.

The Accountant-General, Madras.

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All Communications should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

No. 550

232/1933.

FROM

Major G. Kirkbride, I.A.,
SECRETARY TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Commissioner of Police,
Civil and Military Station,
B a n g a l o r e.

*Dated, Bangalore, the* 17th January *1934*.

**Subject.**

Police Sergeant's quarters at the Bangalore City Railway Station.

SIR,

S.M.9

I am directed to refer to the Proceedings of the Hon'ble the Resident No.41, dated the 1st January 1934, and to say that the circumstances under which the write off of a sum of Rs.243-14-9 had to be sanctioned, should never have been allowed to arise. I am therefore to request that you will take steps to frame suitable orders to ensure against the recurrence of any incident of this nature and submit them for the approval of the Hon'ble the Resident.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Major,
SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

ASB/15.1.34.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION, BANGALORE.

No. 177/A/34. *Dated* 23rd January 1934.

FROM

E. H. Sullivan, Esquire,

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION,
BANGALORE.

To

The Secretary to the Hon'ble
the Resident in Mysore,
BANGALORE.

OFFICE OF THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.
BANGALORE. KN
24 JAN. 1934
Regd. No. 794
File No. 232/33

SIR,

In reply to your letter No.550/232/1933 dated the 17th January 1934 I have the honour to state that the following order may be inserted as Police Order 357(a):-

(i) All quarters which are vacant should be checked daily by the Police of the Station in the jurisdiction of which the quarters are situated and the Sub-Inspector will depute a Head Constable for this duty.

(ii) In the event of any quarters occupied by an Inspector, a Sergeant or Sub-Inspectors becoming vacant, immediate information will be sent by the Inspector to the District Engineer, Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway or the Executive Engineer as the case may be on the date the quarters are vacated. The Inspector will also send a copy through the Commissioner.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE.

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# THE MADRAS AND SOUTHERN MAHRATTA RAILWAY CO., LD.

(Incorporated in England.)

POST BOX No. 523.
TELEGRAMS:—"FREIGHT", MADRAS.
TELEPHONE:—2901.

AGENT'S OFFICE,
PARK TOWN,
MADRAS.

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE—

No. W/119. Dated 14th March 1934.

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The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore,

Bangalore.

Sir,

Theft of fittings in Police Sergeant's quarters at Bangalore City - SEC/28.

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With reference to your letter No.41, dated the 1st January 1934, I have the honour to inform you that the rent of the quarters from the 20th February 1932 to 22nd March 1932, viz. Rs.92-8-9 furnished therein has been erroneously calculated. The correct rent for that period is Rs.88-15-8 as shown below:-

| | | |
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| 10 days in February 1932 (at Rs.84-6-1 per mensem from 20th to 29th) - | Rs. | 29- 1-7 |
| 22 days in March 1932 from 1st to 22nd. | " | 59-14-1 |
| Total | Rs. | 88-15-8 |

OFFICE OF THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.
BANGALORE. TNT
17 MAR 1934
Regd. No. 2692
File. No. 232/33

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I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Agent.

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No 2415/Sec.1.29/3/34

From

Secretary to the Resident.

To

The Agent,
M. & S.M.Ry.Co.,Ltd.,
Madras.

Theft of fittings in Police Sergeant's quarters at Bangalore City.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.W/119 dated the 15th March 1934, I am directed to forward a copy of a revised sanction to be substituted for proceedings bearing the same number and date.

I have etc.,

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SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

24.3.34

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TO BE SUBSTITUTED FOR THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SAME NUMBER AND DATE.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

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No. 41. Dated Bangalore, the 1st January 1934.

Read:-

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2. Letter No.10123/232-1933, dated the 25th October 1933, from the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, to the Accountant-General, Madras.

3. Letter No.T-3-Bang.3-547, dated the 2nd November 1933, from the Accountant-General, Madras.

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O r d e r.

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2. When the Permanent Way Inspector, Bangalore City, went to take charge of the building on the 23rd March 1932, he found that articles valued at Rs.151-6-0 were missing. The M. & S.M. Railway Co., Limited, claim this amount and also a sum of Rs.88-15-8, being the rent of the quarters from the 20th February 1932 to 22nd March 1932 at Rs.84-6-1 per mensem, or Rs.240-5-8 in all, from the Civil and Military Station Police Department. The claim will be admitted and the M. & S.M. Railway Company, Limited, allowed to raise the necessary debit against the Police Department.

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3. As the amount cannot be recovered from Sergeant Jackson out of his pension of Rs.28/-, the Hon'ble the Resident is pleased to write off the sum of Rs.240-5-8 as irrecoverable under Article 227(b) of the Civil Account Code, Volume I.

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SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

To the Commissioner of Police, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore.

" the Agent, M. & S.M. Railway Company, Limited, with the copy of the Manual of Instructions for the Engineering Department sent with his letter No.W-1665-E-I, returned dated 15-9-1933

" the Accountant-General, Madras.

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